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In re patent application of: :  
Kim : Art Unit: 3653  
Serial No: 10/518,424 : Examiner: Unknown  
Filed: December 17, 2004 :  
For: AUTOMATIC VENDING MACHINE FOR NOODLES

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

This is a response to the Notification of Defective Response mailed August 10, 2005, copy enclosed.

The Notification indicted that total additional fees of \$710.00 for a large entity are due for this application. The notice indicated that the fee of \$710.00 was due as a result of the application containing 7 total claims over 20 (\$350.00) and a multiple dependent claim surcharge (\$360.00). Applicant respectfully submits that as a result of its response to the Notification of Missing Requirements and Preliminary Amendment filed July 14,

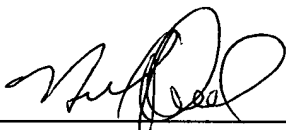
2005, that no additional fees are required. This is due to the fact that with the Preliminary Amendment the Applicant reduced the total number of claims to 15 with one independent claim. Also, in the Preliminary Amendment the multiple dependent claim 10 was amended to be a singularly dependent claim, and thus the multiple dependent claim surcharge was no longer required.

Also, in the response filed July 14, 2005, the Applicant changed its status from that of being a large entity to that of being a small entity.

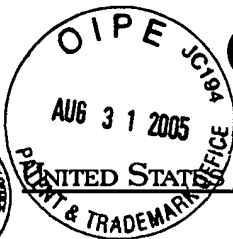
For the foregoing reasons, Applicant respectfully submits that no additional fees are required for this case. If there are any questions concerning this response, please contact the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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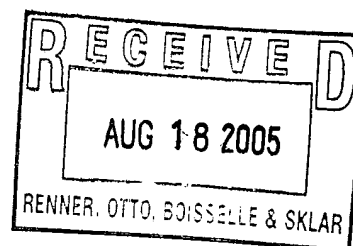
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## NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/17/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/17/2004
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 07/14/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 02/10/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 07/14/2005
- Small Entity Statement filed on 07/14/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 12/17/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/17/2004
- Substitute Specification filed on 12/17/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 12/17/2004



Applicant's response filed 07/14/2005 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 07/01/2005 have not been completed.

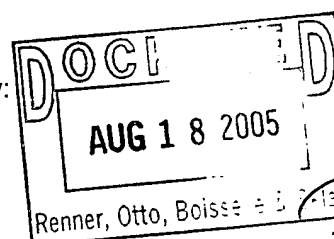
The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$710 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$710 for a Large Entity:



9/10/05

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR 1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 710
  - \$350 for 7 total claims over 20.
  - \$360 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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